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1.116 Amendment reponsive to FINAL OFFICE ACTION (Responsive to
OA Dated 7/24/2008) EXPEDITED PROCESSING REQUESTED

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

A. Introductory Comments:

In reply to the Official action mailed 7/24/2008
Applicants respectfully request entry of the following 1.116
response to place the application in condition for allowance or
in better condition for appeal after reexamination of the present
application. (The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge
payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit
any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0463.)